

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Panchayat Raj Engineering Department – Sri VVSS Nagendra Rao, Assistant Executive Engineer, the then PIU, Rangampeta, and presently working as Mandal Engineering Officer, Rangampeta – Irregularities in Execution of work "Providing BT surface to the Road from GNT Road to Rajpudi of East Godavari District - Departmental proceedings under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules 1991 – Article of charges – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (Vig.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1777

Dated: 29-11-2011.

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O R D E R:

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri VVSS Nagendra Rao, Assistant Executive Engineer, the then PIU, Rangampeta, and presently working as Mandal Engineering Officer, Rangampeta in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or mis-behaviour in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges (Annexure-I). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charge are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-II & III).

3. Sri VVSS Nagendra Rao, Assistant Executive Engineer, the then PIU, Rangampeta, and presently working as Mandal Engineering Officer, Rangampeta is directed to submit a written statement of his defence before the disciplinary authority within (10) days of the receipt of this Government Order.

4. Sri VVSS Nagendra Rao, Assistant Executive Engineer, the then PIU, Rangampeta, and presently working as Mandal Engineering Officer, Rangampeta is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those article of charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri VVSS Nagendra Rao, Assistant Executive Engineer, the then PIU, Rangampeta, and presently working as Mandal Engineering Officer, Rangampeta is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the time specified in para-3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

6. Attention of Sri VVSS Nagendra Rao, Assistant Executive Engineer, the then PIU, Rangampeta, and presently working as Mandal Engineering Officer, Rangampeta is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964 under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his

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interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that he is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule. 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of Government Order shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR.RAJIV SHARMA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)

To
Sri VVSS Nagendra Rao, Asst. Executive Engineer,
the then PIU, Rangampeta, and presently working as MEO, Rangampeta.
through Engineer-in-Chief (Panchayat Raj) Hyderabad.
The Engineer-in-Chief (Panchayat Raj) Hyderabad
(with a request to serve and return the acknowledged copy and W.S.D.).
Copy to:
The General Administration (V&E) Department (954/V&E/E2/09-1)
The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner,
Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission,
Hyderabad.
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//FORWARDED BY :: ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER

ANNEXURE-I

STATEMENT OF ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI V.V.S.S. NAGENDRA RAO, ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, THE THEN PIU SECTION, RANGAMPET, PRESENTLY WORKING AS MANDAL ENGINEERING OFFICER, RANGAMPET.

CHARGE:

The said Sri V.V.S.S. Nagendra Rao, Assistant Executive Engineer, the then PIU Section Rangampet Presently working as Mandal Engineering Officer Rangampet has executed poor quality of bitumen work in execution of the work "Providing BT surface to the Road from GNT Road to Rajpudi of East Godavari Dist" for his personal gain, resulting loss to the Government, in contravening the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services Rules, 1964.

BASIS:-

The Vigilance & Enforcement vide Report No.128(954/V&E/E2/09-1), dated 13-10-10, have observed the following duly verified the work "Providing BT surface to the Road from GNT Road to Rajapudi of East Godavari District sanctioned Under PMGSY Grant on 04-02-2010.

The Administrative sanction for the work was accorded by the Government, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department vide G.O.Ms.1317, Dated 29.8.08 under PMGSY Phase –II for Rs. 223.80 lakhs. Technical sanction was accorded by the Chief Engineer (Panchayat Raj) PMGSY for Rs 223.80 lakhs vide T.S No.Nil/09-09, Dt 5.9.08. The period of completion of the work was 12 months i.e work to be completed by 06.01.2010 and as on the day of inspection of Vigilance and Enforcement officials (04/02/2010), the work was completed and an amount of Rs.1,84,16,927/- was paid to the contractor Sri G.Rambabu, Rajupalem for the executed works.

The Vigilance & Enforcement has verified work and stated that, tests were conducted on sample of OGPC collected from road surface in Km 2, 4, 5 & 8 and revealed that there is deficiency in bitumen content of 18.57%, 44.43%, 45.61% and 52.83% respectively. As per the Memo No.15320/Vig-I/2005-1, Dated 12.05.06 of Panchayat Raj & Rural Development (vigilance) Department, the deficiency in bitumen is more than 15% the work is to be totally rejected and re-laid.

Thus, Sri V.V.S.S. Nagendra Rao, Assistant Executive Engineer has failed to discharge legitimate duties and executed bad quality of BT Item of work in Kms 2, 4, 5 & 8, since the deficiency is more than 15%.

Hence the Charge

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ANNEXURE-II

**LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED
AGAINST SRI VVSS NAGENADRA RAO, THE THEN ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE
ENGINEER, PIU SECTION, RANGAMPET, PRESENTLY WORKING AS
MANDAL ENGINEERING OFFICER, RANGAMPET.**

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Vigilance & Enforcement Report No.128 (954/V&E/E2/09-1), dt: 13-10-2010 from
the General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department.

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ANNEXURE-III

**LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED
AGAINST SRI VVSS NAGENADRA RAO, THE THEN ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE
ENGINEER, PIU SECTION, RANGAMPET, PRESENTLY WORKING AS
MANDAL ENGINEERING OFFICER, RANGAMPET.**

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